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ABSTRACT

Various embodiments are described to adaptively use a transmit opportunity. A wireless system comprising a memory and a processor is described. The processor is coupled to the memory. In one embodiment, the processor allocates a first portion of a transmit opportunity for an initial data burst and the processor allocates a second portion of the transmit opportunity for other operations including retries.